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ROSS AVENUE, RED DEER.

The Government and the Government Creameries.

Just before going to press we are informed that the new agreements between the Dept. of Agriculture and the Creameries are to hand. From these it appears that the arrangements will remain practically the same as before.

As suggested at the Convention a charge will be made for the cost of keeping the accounts at the Calgary office, but as heretofore the Government guarantee that their part of the work, viz.,

manufacturing, marketing, cold storage and accounting, will not exceed the standing price of four cents per lb. of butter. This puts the whole matter in a nutshell, the kernel being the amount of butter manufactured. With a large output, everything will work as smoothly as before, and we are pleased to be able to add that the prospects at Red Deer government Creamery for the coming season, are for the largest output yet recorded.

ODDFELLOWS' ANNIVERSARY.

Red Deer Lodge Parade to St. Luke's Church.

On Sunday morning last Red Deer Oddfellows, to the number of about forty, marched from their hall, Gaetz Avenue, to St. Luke's church, where an appropriate service was preached by Rev. C. W. G. Moore, the 90th anniversary of the order being the cause of the service. The choir of St. Luke's, assisted by several friends, rendered music appropriate for the occasion.

Taking as his text Hebrews 13:8, the Rev. Moore referred to the high position fraternal societies take among the civilized races, and especially among English speaking nations. He dwelt upon the standard required of a man before he could be a member of such a society as the Oddfellows. Then he passed on to dwell upon their noble links of attachment, friendship, love and truth. He reminded them how friendship can be of different degrees. He worked up from the Old Testament type of friendship as seen in David and Jonathan, to the New Testament type as exhibited in the Christ, who says to all men, "Ye are my friends if ye do whatsoever I have commanded you." He said this was the Friend we all needed, and that friendship based on links with the Christ is the only friendship which can continue into eternity. In so far as every Oddfellow was carrying out the obligations of the Lodge he was a friend of the Christ, who in the parable of the Good Samaritan showed us the duty towards our fellow men in distress. Let them "love mercy and walk humbly with their God," but above all let them "do justly." Let friendship be linked with love and truth. The eye of the Deity could not be deceived, but the Deity looks down, not for the purpose of finding fault, but to approve and guide. Be true to what light we already have and more light will come to us from the Almighty, who in the person of Jesus Christ has given us an example and a guide whom all humanity need.

Edwell Union U. F. A.

A meeting of this Union was held on Saturday, April 17th at 8 p.m. in the school house. Mr. J. Comer, Vice President, being in the chair.

There was a large attendance, and the subjects under discussion were Pork Packing and Hail Insurance. The Secretary was instructed to invite the Live Stock Commissioner to address the Union on the subject of Pork Packing.

Donald McInroy was elected a member, bringing the total membership up to 41.

I. W. Irwin reported timothy seed for sale. The question of binder twine was discussed and then laid over to next meeting, the Secretary meantime procuring further quotations.

The meeting was adjourned to Saturday, May 15th, at 8 p.m.

Members and prospective members please note.

F. J. POWELL,
Sec.-Treas.

Inspector Boyce's Address.

On Tuesday evening last Inspector Boyce addressed a large audience in the Assembly room of the school on "A Canadian's Impression of Europe" ex-mayor H. H. Gaetz in the chair.

The address was the third of a course, Mr. Stuart and Rev. Mr. Huestis being the speakers.

Mr. Boyce's remarks were very much enjoyed. He outlined his trip through England, Scotland, Ireland and France mentioning places of historical commercial and industrial interest he described minutely and graphically the Castles of Warwick and Kenilworth, and related several interesting personal incidents. All these combined to form a very interesting lecture. The proceeds of the course will be used to purchase pictures for the decoration of the school, and the teachers deserve the thanks of the citizens for their interest in arranging the course and in beautifying the school.

The lectures will be resumed next fall when an effort will be made to arrange a longer course.

Supreme Court.

The Supreme Court sittings, before Justice Beek, concluded last week, most of the cases being adjourned. The civil cases to May 18th, and criminal cases to May 25th. The case against Joseph Lasker, of Alix, was dismissed, the charge of assault not being proven.

J. H. Moore, of Bowden, was charged with treating two little girls in an indecent manner, and was only prevented from committing a much more serious crime by a man in a nearby field. He was given six months with hard labor at Calgary.

Albert Wedin, west of Stettler, received two years for obtaining money under false pretences, raising \$200 on a cheque for which there were no funds and no account. As he was out on suspended sentence for stealing whisky from the C.P.R. at Wetaskiwin, he was also given two years for that offence, the sentence to run concurrently.

One Adamson was charged with taking up horses near Dielson. He was allowed out on suspended sentence, as he did not appear to be of sound mind.

O. H. Allen, near Pine Lake, was charged with disposing of the carcasses of cattle wintered by him for one Luckwood. After the agreement had been produced the judge said it was not definite enough to warrant such a charge and the case was withdrawn.

The case against Fulmer for theft resulted in the bondsmen having to make good the bail, as the accused failed to appear. It is claimed Mr. Fulmer would make good losses. The cattle case was adjourned to May 25 will be watched with much interest.

Penhold Union U. F. A.

The regular monthly meeting was held in the schoolhouse on Sat. April 17th with a full attendance, E. Carwell presiding. The principal business before the meeting was the placing of the binder twine orders. Several quotations were received that of Stewart Bros. Penhold being accepted.

The resolutions on hail insurance, sent by the central committee were discussed, and the following passed. Moved by J. Farrer, seconded by F. H. Watto, that in the opinion of this union the present system of Gov. insurance should be sustained, as being the most satisfactory under present conditions.

The Secretary was instructed to write Livestock Commissioner Stevens, for further information re. pledges of support to Gov. Pork Packery.

The report of the chilled beef commission was held over to next meeting for discussion, as it was getting late.

R. A. Johnston, C. P. R. agent attended to thank the Union for the interest shown in keeping him at Penhold. Next meeting Sat. May 15th.

A. SPEARMAN,
Secretary.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE FOR MICHERNER TROPHY.

The Red Deer Town League football schedule is as follows:
April 30—Town v. Firemen.
May 3—Firemen v. School.
May 7—School v. Town.
May 13—Town v. Pine Lake.
May 14—Pine Lake v. Firemen.
May 17—Firemen v. Town.
May 21—School v. Firemen.
May 25—Town v. School.
May 27—School v. Pine Lake.
May 28—Pine Lake v. Town.
June 3—Firemen v. Pine Lake.
June 4—Pine Lake v. School.

The School have only five players of last year's team. Logan, Coghlin and Kent have joined the Firemen, and others are away. However, we hope to see the School team buckle into the harness and give a good account of themselves before the season is over. The Town team has a number of new players, and the Firemen are looking up strong.

Mother Goose Entertainment.

Friday evening last that pleasant little fairy play, "Mother Goose's Reception," was a grand success. The Oddfellows Hall was filled with an appreciative audience, and the twenty little Miss took their parts most successfully.

The following was the cast of characters:
Mother Goose - Gwyneth Walker
Bo-Peep - Gladys Alford
Jack the Giant Killer - Violet Mureman
Little Boy Blue - Cosy Pinkerman
Man that jumped into the bramble - Macie Tait
Red Riding Hood - Marguerite Wilton
Simple Simon - Elsie Lewis
Humpty Dumpty - Nina Goodwin
Mother Hubbard - Blanche Greening
Mary, Mary, quite contrary - Anna George
Jack Horner - Connie Jarvis
Miss Muffet - Katie Carwell
Jack - Elsie Edgington
Jill - Theo. Ayres
John - May Rutherford
Old Woman who lived in a shoe - Florrie Gee

A few of the children - Marion Jarvis, Etta Drake, Dorothy Wilton, Neskie Norquay.

Under the programme games were indulged in and a jolly time was the verdict of all.

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Business Beginning to Move.

The proprietors of the Windsor Hotel, Messrs. Slickland & Reed, are enlarging the hotel by fifteen rooms. The old roof is being removed, and a fine new mansard, fire proof roof is being built, making the hotel now practically a three storey building. Charlie Cruickshank is supervising the work.

Jameson & McKechnie, the enterprising lumber men, have secured a contract from the government to make several hundred butter boxes for creameries. If the business proves successful large orders will follow.

The Red Deer Brick Company have sold all the bricks on hand, and have a large gang of men at work fitting up the extensive yards for a vigorous season's business. Operations will commence at once.

School Boys Football Competition for News Cup.

This competition is likely to prove very keen, judging by the play and results of the first few matches. Of the eight teams competing six have played two matches, and "D" and "E" teams are just leading by one point.

The following are the results up to last Saturday:
A v D Draw No score
B v H B won 24 goals
C v G G won 24 goals
D v E D won 24 goals
E v F Draw No score
F v H E won 34 goals
A—Clair Smith E—Percy Smith
B—Jim Krause F—Chas. Carwell
C—Fred Reinhold G—Fred George
D—Roy Malcolm H—Frank Rich
A win counts two points and a draw one point to each side.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28th, 1909.

It is passing a range that while the government will only pay the Canadian people who invest their money in the savings banks three per cent they at the same time pay about four per cent for millions borrowed in London.

When Sir Wilfrid Laurier got rid of Emmons and other shining lights from the Cabinet the country applauded. That was before an election. Sir Wilfrid is again on trial. If he keeps Hon. Mr. Pugsley in the Cabinet the people will look with suspicion on the Public Works Department of which Mr. Pugsley is head, for fear that he has introduced into that department his peculiar Central Railway system of book keeping without books.

When Judge Cassels' report on The Marine Department was received it was the general opinion among thinking men that it would be well to have the other departments looked into especially that of Public Works. This was strenuously opposed at the time. In the light of revelations made by the New Brunswick Royal Commission against Hon. Mr. Pugsley it probably was a good thing for that gentleman and the Liberal party that the affairs of his department at Ottawa were not investigated too closely at that time.

The Advocate in defending Hon. William Pugsley's latest escapade in New Brunswick says: "the party pit at Ottawa is no place to pass decision on such complicated financial transactions affecting a public man's honesty." Indeed, but the Advocate, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Liberal party have not hesitated to "pass decision" on Hon. Mr. Foster. The charges against Mr. Pugsley are backed up by the report of a royal commission while those against Mr. Foster are made in a cowardly manner and those making them are afraid to face Mr. Foster on any platform, and the papers he is suing for libel are striving by every means to put off appearing in court and defending their charges. It makes a lot of difference whose ox is gored.

MR. PUGSLEY AND MR. TWEEDIE.

Parliament must take cognizance of the charges laid by a New Brunswick Commission against Mr. Tweedie, Lieutenant

Governor of the Province and Mr. Pugsley, Minister of Public Works at Ottawa.

Substantially, the Commission declares that these two men misused \$134,000 of Provincial money.

If the charges can be finally established both should be removed from office.

There is no doubt that for many years New Brunswick was the prey of a group of speculative politicians.

Elections are notoriously corrupt. Legislation dealing with Provincial resources was passed, altered or cancelled as political exigencies demanded, in order to maintain the ascendancy of the group at Fredericton.

In New Brunswick, as in British Columbia, non-party government produced many evils and yielded few public advantages.

In New Brunswick particularly the system was distinguished for immoral compromises and flagrant abuse of authority.

A feature of the system was the close association between the New Brunswick politicians and Government at Ottawa.

Control of patronage and the public revenues was the supreme consideration.

When the Government changed at Ottawa these New Brunswick politicians experienced a timely conversion.

It was necessary to their purpose to have access to the Federal Treasury, and to give support in Federal elections in order to receive support in Provincial contests.

No one has done more to commercialize the politics of New Brunswick than Mr. Pugsley.

He has been a supreme opportunist, a maker of deals, a trader in profession and principles.

Smooth and crafty, bold and skillful, he has neglected no opportunity to serve his own ambitions.

As an administrator of Provincial affairs he seems to have been singularly reckless and incompetent.

There is no convincing evidence that his management of a Federal department is distinguished either for economy or efficiency.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has been unfortunate in the selection of his colleagues.

This is not hard to understand. He has chosen his Ministers with a single eye to the exigencies of the moment and the immediate interest of party.

Mr. Pugsley one of the most unstable of New Brunswick politicians, is Minister of Public

Works.
Mr. Ellis, clean handed, and high minded, reliable in any emergency, has not been permitted to sit in a Liberal Cabinet.
Sir Wilfrid Laurier, with all his personal distinction and long continued success, will leave his party a wreck for half a generation.—Toronto News.

Council Meeting.

The meeting of the Council Thursday night was attended by all the members with Mayor Botterill in the chair.

COMMUNICATIONS.

M. J. McLean, M. P., chairman Daylight Committee of the House of Commons, wrote enclosing a copy of "The Daylight Bill" asking the co-operation of the Council in the proposed system. Laid on the table to next week.

Greene & Payne re. Archaibault account stating Mr. Archaibault was willing to pay his indebtedness to the town if given time to do so. Agreed.

The Secretary Treasurer of Innisfail asked for information as to what assessment was made against chartered banks. Information given and letter filed.

From Town Clerk of Stettler re. safe. Referred to Commissioners.

W. Bannerman asked for return of certain overcharge for license on Lyric.

Chas. Wright asked for side walk from the Imperial Bank to the lane opposite Forrester & Cruickshank's livery barn.

Greene & Payne enclosed letter from Mr. Gardiner regarding evidence on Western General arbitration case.

Secretary McLeod wrote thanking the Council for grant to the Fire Brigade.

A. W. G. Allen wrote enclosing auditors quarterly audited to April 1st.

Chief Meeres protested against motion to deprive him of certain extra fees at last meeting of Council.

M. A. Munro, secretary of the Board of Trade, wrote asking for the band stand as an exhibition building for exhibiting grain at the station. Referred to the Commissioners for report on 29th.

On motion of Councillors H. H. Gaetz and Tallman the Secretary and Mayor were instructed to pay \$7.50 to W. Bannerman.

Councillors T. Gaetz and Pidgeon moved that owing to the Red Deer Band having now disorganized the Commissioners be instructed to have the band instruments collected. Carried.

Councillors H. H. Gaetz and Tallman moved that the commissioners ascertain and report to the Council what the remuneration of the Chief of the Fire Brigade, including extras and just what extras he does get.

This motion was introduced by Councillor H. H. Gaetz when a motion to file Chief Meeres communication was brought up. Mr. Gaetz contended Chief Meeres was a capable official and did his work well, was entitled as Chief to some consideration and he would not consent to filing his letter without notice again.

It was claimed by some that the Chief was getting too many extras, and Councillors Hill and Tallman favored giving the Chief a higher salary rather than picking the amount of which it was impossible to estimate.

Mr. Gaetz then contended the Council should know just what these extras amounted to, and he brought in the above motion which carried.

COMMISSIONERS' REPORT.

We beg to submit our semi-monthly report as follows:

In the Monetary Times of April 3rd, appeared an article on Municipal Book keeping. In the article a statement was made that Red Deer lost some debentures and they turned up 12 months later in a Winnipeg Departmental store. As this statement was not correct and reflected on our financial management we wrote the Editor a letter denying the statement and setting out our progressive civic government. He kindly published the letter in full. These articles are laid on the table for your inspection.

We had an interview with W. A. Moore, Manager of the Western General Electric Co. in reference to a long fire alarm system, and secured from him a definite proposal to install and operate this system for \$105 in installation, and \$75 per year for operation. The proposal is submitted herewith.

The sewer connection at the Windsor Hotel having been stopped up several times within a few days we asked Mr. Neville to report on it, and on his advice had it taken up and a 6 in. connection put in its place.

Having been notified by the C. P. R. that it would be necessary for the Town to apply to the Railway Commission under the Railway Act for permission to cross the tracks with the sewer on Douglas St. we requested Mr. Neville to consult with the Town solicitors and take the necessary steps.

We asked the local firms to tender for the years supplies of lumber, chemical and hardware. We recommended the tender of the tender of Cushing Bros. for lumber and that of the Gaetz Corbett Co. for chemicals they being the lowest, and

that hardware be purchased from Smith & Gaetz and F. H. Tallman their tenders being the same.

Jamieson & McKelvie applied for water to be used in their boiler on Gaetz Ave. As no rate is stated in the By-law for this we have informed them we will set the rate at \$20 per year. Referred back to recommend a rate per horsepower and per foot of water.

Pursuant to your instructions we advertised for a clerk for the town office. The applications are submitted herewith.

We authorized the Advocate to publish the Auditors report for 1908 believing it should be given as much publicity as possible. We submit the following reasons for there being a deficit shown last year:

1. In the estimated receipts for 1908 was a payment from the Red Deer Mill and Elevator Co. of \$1200 interest. Though the mill was sold and \$3,000 cash received, no part of this was put into the revenue account.

2. The Arbitration proceeding with the Western General Electric Co. cost the town \$1864.68. This was entirely unforeseen and though all of it was charged up to last year's account part could have been laid over to this year.

3. We paid out of current revenue last year 5 quarterly payments for street lighting and pumping. We found that the payment for the last quarter of each year has been carried into the following year's business though the amounts had been earned on Dec. 31st. We are now paid up to date always.

We wrote off last year uncollected water rates and water rates to the amount of \$70.00 rather than carry them on the books from year to year. These matters are now cleaned up and the town is in a good financial position having at present a credit balance at the bank, and sufficient surplus to complete the sewer extensions now commenced, and also surplus on the water works and fire hall account.

4. We have received more complaints about the Town scales, not weighing properly. Mr. Meeres tested them with other scales and reports them as weighing the same. We have written to the Inspector of Weights and Measures to see about having them inspected as soon as possible.

5. The assessment committee has checked over the assessment and the Town roll is now completed. The school district will be completed in a few days.

6. On the 17th inst. the tax sale was held as advertised only 7 parcels were sold and the same adjourned for two weeks.

7. We have made inquiries as to the cost of accident insurance for the men working on the sewers. The rate is \$96.00 for every \$1000 of pay roll. As the pay roll will be nearly \$2,000 per month the rate appears prohibitive.

8. Mr. Neville reports that Bulman Bros. of Winnipeg have offered to print 200 copies of the Map of Red Deer for \$75 or \$60 for \$80. We recommended that we be authorized to get 200 copies.

9. We recommend that we be authorized to place the \$3000 received from the sale of the mill property and also the remaining payment when received in a separate account and that one seventh of the total amount be used each year to be supplied on payment of the coupon due each year for the mill loan. If this is done it will reduce the amount to be raised this year to the estimates for debentures by \$1110.43.

10. The preliminary estimates are submitted herewith. Copies have been sent to the hands of each councillor for several days. We beg to point out that this is over a week earlier than the estimates have ever been brought down in the Council before.

11. During the Dairyman's Convention as the town had no way of entertaining the delegates the Mayor arranged with Dr. Gies to admit all delegates to his museum for \$10.00 delegates availed themselves of this privilege.

12. We recommend that the Council extend the time for having the yards cleaned to May 31st on account of late spring. We would respectfully urge the ratepayers to start on May 3rd, and devote that week to cleaning up and destroying all rubbish in their yards or near their property.

13. The work on the sewer on Douglas Street is progressing favorably and we will with your authority continue at it.

14. We would urge upon the Councillors the necessity of having the by-laws passed on the 27th inst. as the fire truck has been ordered and the land paid for.

15. In regard to the application of the Fire Brigade Football club for permission to use part of the grounds at the town square we recommend that they be permitted to use the east half of the block, and that the Cricket club be permitted to use the same place as last year behind the firehall, they having again applied for the use of it. We will get estimates as to the cost of levelling the square and if possible provide for it in supplementary estimates.

16. Mr. Neville to order a car of sewer pipe junctions from the Bonington Sewer Pipe Co. their tender being considerably lower than the others.

17. We submit for your consideration the plumbing by-law as revised.

18. The committee appointed by you at the last Council meeting to look over plans for an office building met. The specifications are not completed (continued on page 5.)

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ANOTHER DAY OF SURPRISES.

Saturday, May 1st, 1909.

AT HALL'S CASH STORE.

This will be the biggest and best of all the "Surprise Package Sales" we have had, and will be the last of the kind for the present time, at least, so we strongly advise every one to take advantage of this extraordinary sale. All we can say is, if you do not you'll be disappointed.

This sale will be conducted a little different from the others we have held. Every purchaser of \$1.00 and up to \$5.00 will have their choice of surprise packages valued from 25c. up to 50c. and 75c. Every purchaser of \$5.00 and upwards will have their choice of surprise packages valued from 75c. up to \$1.00. The packages will also be marked, whether for boys, girls, gentlemen or ladies. This means that everybody will get a surprise package which will be suitable to them.

The packages will contain Ladies' Waists, Shoes, Collars, Belts, Gloves, Valuable Remnants, Flowers, Hosiery, Shirts, Children's Waists, Brushes, etc., and in one of the packages will be a

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Some one will get the watch. You have just as good a chance as any person else. There will be no disappointments for every package contains surprises for you.

Sale of Millinery, 1/2 off.

Our special sale of Millinery will be continued all this week and Saturday, May 1st. We have some beautiful new Hats to offer you. Sometimes we think they are too new. The shapes and styles are right up to what is being sold in the large centres. Your choice of any hat in stock at 25 per cent. off.

Sale of Flowers.

We have divided what flowers there are left in stock in two lots, and will clear them at 25c. and 50c. per Bunch. The values ran all the way up to \$1.00.

Clearance of Muslins, 25c.

10 only pieces Muslin and Vestings, value running up to 40c. a yd. Your choice 25c. a yd.

SALE OF DRESS LINENS, 25c. YD.—30 only pieces fine new Dress Linens in Blues, Greens, Browns, Creams and pretty stripe effects. Regular value 35c. yd. Sale price, 25c. yd.

A Word About Patterns.

Don't forget we carry the Standard Patterns, acknowledged by many to be the best Pattern on the market. Prices 10c. and 15c. We also sell the Designer over the counter at 10c. each. The May number is now in, and it is a beautiful book.

Baby's Shoes, 25c.

The balance of the 160 pairs of Baby's Shoes will be cleared out Saturday at 25c. pair. The values run all the way up to 75c.

COME SATURDAY, AND COME EARLY.

100 yds. of Art Music and Screens will be sold Saturday morning from 8 to 10, at 5c. a yard.

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FRESH OYSTERS NOW IN SEASON.

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We carry a full assortment of Imported Serges, Worsteds, Harris Tweeds, and English Homespun, etc.

Workmanship of the best, and the latest in Style.

MUNRO BROS., Merchant Tailors, Ross Avenue, Red Deer.

Methods of Preserving Timber

The department of forestry could do the country a service by publishing scientific knowledge about the preservation of that essential of civilization—timber, says the Toronto World.

It is almost unbelievable by us moderns that piles driven by the hand of the Egyptian centuries ago are shown to be as sound today as when first placed. The wooden coffins in which Egyptians buried their dead are still preserved in perfect condition after thousands of years of service.

The longevity of timber under these two extremes of climate and moisture conditions has naturally made people ask, what causes wood decay? The answer is fungi and bacteria, low forms of plant life which live in the wood and draw their nourishment from it. The little organisms are so minute that a microscope is required to see them, yet their work results in the destruction of billions of feet of timber each year and the railroad corporation with its cross-tie bill running up into seven figures and the farmer who spends a hundred or so dollars a year for fence posts are alike drawn upon for their share. Experts in all parts of the world in efforts to learn the most economical and most satisfactory method of preserving wood against the invasion of decay.

In studying the means of preventing decay wood-preserving experts have learned many things about the obnoxious fungi which sap the life of timber. The small organisms can grow either in light or in total darkness; both of them require recess amounts of air, food, moisture and heat. If one or more of these essential requirements is lacking, they cannot live, and the decay of timber will not take place.

Wood constantly submerged in water never rots, simply because there is an insufficient supply of air. This condition accounts for the soundness of the old Baltic piles.

On the other hand, if wood can be kept air-dry it will not decay because there will then be too little moisture. The timber used by the Egyptians will last indefinitely so long as it is bone-dry.

There are a great many uses, however, where it is impossible to keep wood submerged in water, or in an absolutely air-dry condition. In fact, a large percentage of the timber which is used is exposed to the weather, and is subjected to decay simply because it contains enough air and enough water for the decomposing organisms to get a foothold.

Decay is most serious where the atmosphere is warm and damp, because these conditions are most favorable for its development.

Decay may be prevented by two general methods, by treating the wood with antiseptics, thus poisoning the food supply of the organisms, or by treating it with oils, which renders it waterproof.

A combination of these two methods is most commonly used, as when wood is treated with creosote it fills up the pores in the timber and keeps out water, and is also a powerful antiseptic.

Practice Hygiene While Teaching.

With all theoretical knowledge presumed to be in possession of the world-to-day relative to the merits of fresh air an astonishing number of persons seem to be very much afraid of it.

If this apparent ignorance were confined to those whose knowledge of the laws of health might pardonably be considered rudimentary, the surprise would be so great, but it is more than strange that so many well informed citizens take special pains to keep the fresh air out of the living rooms, and particularly out of sleeping rooms.

It might be presumed that in the schools, at least, proper attention would be paid to so important a subject.

In class rooms full of foul air teachers are instructing pupils in physiology and hygiene explaining to them the merits of the wonderful natural remedy, oxygen, and then perhaps wondering how it is that they are so lifeless that they seem unable to grasp a simple truth.

In the treatment of tuberculosis the value of fresh air is generally recognized. If it is so beneficial to the ailing, curing unaided a disease which is considered inevitably fatal, and doing this even in the more advanced stages what may it not be dependent upon to do in the way of preventing the thousands and one other diseases which seize upon the body when it is in a weakened condition as a direct result of breathing bad air?

A little less theory and a little more practice in the teaching of hygiene in the schools might fix in the pupils habits which would add materially to the well being of the present and all future generations.

Alberta's Grain Crop.

Reports show Alberta's total grain crop, 24,000,000 bushels last year, over 3,000,000 bushels being winter wheat. General Freight Agent Halstead, of the C.P.R., estimates acreage of crop this year 30 per cent increase over last.

Canadian Pacific predicts Bow Valley will become continent's greatest exporting area of agricultural products. How quickly prediction will be realized gained from freight increases February 1909, over February 1908. Outgoing shipments show following gains: Cattle, 17-13 per cent; grain, 204 1-2 per cent, total showing average of 185 per cent increase. Especially interesting are live stock and dairy products showing how rapidly residents of the valley are adopting diversified farming. Year freight received from this district show increase in income freight of 60 per cent, 197 over 1906, and 119.2 per cent last year over 1906 while outgoing increased 66 per cent over 1908, grain shipments alone being 12 1-2 times heavier.

Test for Sanitary Milk.

"Clean milk," says Women's Home Campaign for April, "has a distinct flavor, simply sweet, pleasant taste. If any flavors are present they are artificial."

A test for the sanitary condition of milk is as follows: Take a pint of milk as it is received from the milkman, pour off a few spoonfuls, to facilitate shaking and place in a panful of warm water, ninety-five to one hundred degrees.

"When thoroughly warm throughout add one rennet tablet which has previously been dissolved in one spoonful of water and shake, then set away in a warm place for a few minutes."

"When curdled, cut the curd thoroughly with a knife, to let out the whey. Let stand for a few minutes, drain off all whey possible, and continue to pour off as the whey accumulates. There will then be a lump of compact curd. Cut this in two with a knife, so that it will float."

"The character of this curd will show very clearly the sanitary quality of the milk. If spongy and full of numerous holes, it is unclean, and full of bacteria, particularly those that produce gas, are present."

"This class of bacteria is considered by authorities to be one of the causes of epidemic diarrhoea."

If firm and smooth, with a few or no holes, the milk is clean and has been handled in a sanitary manner. This test may be continued further by placing the curd back in the bottle and filling half full of water. If the curd floats it indicates that the milk is unclean; if it sinks, the milk is reasonably clean."

Alberta Yield Best.

The wheat yield per acre in Alberta last year was 33 bushels and the oat yield 49 bushels. A dispatch from High River says: "The town of High River, Alberta, has the honor of being the largest grain shipping point in Canada, 1,026,182 bushels of grain having been shipped this season to date from High River; 744 cars were supplied for these shipments. Five years ago not a bushel of grain was shipped from this point. Last season 315,000 acres were under cultivation in the High River District. The High River farmer, D. C. McDonald, also being the honor for the record yield of fall wheat. From a field of 60 acres Mr. McDonald harvested 3,570 bushels, or an average of 59 1-2 bushels per acre. R. D. Bower, another High River farmer, has made a record from a 41 acre field, which he has had under cultivation for four years. During that period the field has earned \$4,376.50, or \$108 25 per acre."

Big Elevator.

It is said that the big Grand Trunk Pacific elevator now in the course of construction at Fort William will be in readiness to handle this year's crop. The end of last week was driven the last of the 11,000 pile required. The work of laying 70,000 yards of concrete was then started. The concrete will run from the top of the piles to the tops of the huge bins where the steel frame work will begin. Nearly all the material will be bought in Canada for this elevator.

Bull for Sale.

A good Ayshire bull, 14 months old, from Trimbles stock; eligible for registration. Will be sold cheap. JOHN WOOD.

Advice to Mothers.

It was the era of the first Quinny baby, and the attention of the entire Quinny family, consisting of the mother and father, was directed to the proper upbringing of the infant. Books on babyhood were bought and digested; suitable magazines were subscribed for; friends and mothers were consulted on every point. But, to the wonder of the solicitors, Mrs. Quinny declared that the advice that did the most good was that which appeared in the morning paper, signed with the fetching name, "Peggy." But the time came when even that was discarded.

"Aren't you going to read me the little lesson from the Journal for to-day?" asked Mr. Quinny at the breakfast table.

"I shall never read—that stuff to any one any more," said the mother firmly.

"Why not? Only day before yesterday you were saying what excellent recommendations Peggy made about crying children. What do you mean by that?"

"I'll tell you, Tom," she said. "I had meant not to say a word about it, because it is so humiliating. But now you've spoken, and I might as well confess. The paper yesterday said something I didn't quite understand, and as I was down town, I thought I'd just run into the office and ask Peggy what she meant. So I did. The office boy smiled when I asked for Peggy, but he took me up a lot of dirty stairs, and then pointed to a door. I knocked, and a voice answered, 'Come in.'"

"Well?" queried her husband.

"Well, there isn't any 'Peggy'! Not a woman at all, but a perfectly horrid, grinning man, smoking cigars! He writes that advice, a man! What do you think of that, Tom?"

Mrs. Quinny paused in her indignation.

"Mrs. Quinny! How could a man in a newspaper office write good advice to mothers? I am surprised! You men think you know everything."

Renew Their Demands.

The fight for government owned elevators at interior points is being vigorously maintained by the inter-provincial council of farmers' associations, which has just issued and is widely distributing two pamphlets reviewing the agitation to date and restating the arguments in support of the project.

In a pamphlet "A Provincial Elevator System," in which the plan is worked out with estimates of cost, etc., it is claimed that the farmers are not asking that the government system be made a monopoly.

The three western governments in their joint reply to the farmers' associations declared that government owned systems of elevators must have a monopoly; and that they had not the power, under the constitution to establish such a monopoly.

What the farmers want as set forth in the pamphlet, is a chain of government elevators operated if necessary, in competition with privately owned elevators. "All the benefits," it says, "inherent in a system of farmers' elevators covering every shipping point will be found in a government system with a number of additional ones."

Zam-Buk Cured Her baby.

Mothers will find the following statement of more than passing interest, showing, as it does, how Zam-Buk cured the skin-diseases of children, even when ordinary remedies have completely failed. Mrs. C. W. Bower, of 120, Denison Avenue, Toronto, says: "Not long ago my baby's face broke out in an eruption. The spots would cure and be very irritable and sore. At other times they itched fearfully, and caused the child to scratch and scratch. I tried all sorts of ointments and salves, but they somehow did not seem able to remove the trouble. Zam-Buk proved very different, and a few applications gave the child relief. The sores are now healed completely."

"Since that time my little daughter has had occasion to use Zam-Buk for skin trouble. She broke out in blotches on her hands and arms, and in her case also Zam-Buk effected a cure."

"We now keep Zam-Buk handy as a household balm, and do not intend to be without it."

"Not only for skin diseases, but for cuts, burns and bruises, it is a fine remedy. The other day I burned my hand badly. An application of Zam-Buk seemed to take the fire out of it at once, and it soon healed. In the course of my experience I have tried pretty nearly all the salves and ointments obtainable, but there is nothing to compare with Zam-Buk."

Zam-Buk is Nature's own healing balm, being composed of pure herbal essences, it is a sure cure for pimples and eruptions, eczema, ring-worm, ulcers, cuts, burns, pruritus, poisoned sores, chronic wounds, bad leg, piles, festering sores, and all skin injuries and diseases. Druggists and Stores everywhere sell it, or a box, post free for price from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto; 5 boxes \$1.25. You are warned against cheap and harmful imitations sometimes represented to be "just as good."



For Sale.

Two new Universal Sewing Machines for sale, or will exchange for live stock. Apply to M. J. McDONALD, Gaetz Avenue, Red Deer.

Farm for Sale.

South West quarter of Sec. 33-38-20, west of 14th. Apply to S. W. McCANN, Red Deer, Alberta.

Get Your Wood Cut.

O. B. WILKINSON is now taking contracts to cut wood any length in any part of the town. Orders may be left at Mr. Lohr's store or at the News Office. Stove wood also sold, any quantity at reasonable prices. Red Deer, Dec. 9.

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Prepares pupils for the Toronto Conservatory Exams. in Piano and Theory.
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Seed Barley for Sale.

The Alberta Pacific Elevator Company has a limited quantity of six-rowed barley for sale, which they are offering at 65 cents per bushel.

Wanted.

Good general servant. Apply to Mrs. W. E. PAYNE, Mann Street, March 31.

For Sale.

Two hand made full dress suits at less than half cost price, at TRAIN'S, the gent's furnisher.

Tenders Wanted.

The undersigned desires to have 60 acres of breaking done, and asks for tenders for same up to May 1st. For further particulars apply to J. S. BRUEHLMAN, Four miles south west of Pembina, March 30, 1910.

For Sale.

Full Dress Suit, tailor made, silk lined, good as new, a bargain, at H.B. Munro's tailor shop.

Estray Steer.

Came on to the premises of the undersigned last fall, a red yearling steer; also two-year-old heifer. Owner can have same by proving ownership paying expenses.
W. L. SOLEY, Red Deer.

For Sale.

10 dozen Telescope Views and 2 Stereoscopes, \$10. A bargain. Will exchange for stock, saddle. These are a snap and worth \$25.
W. HUSKINS, Red Deer.

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LOBAN & STRONACH,
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General Blacksmiths

Have taken a lease, from M. J. McDonald, of the old Archie Ford Blacksmith shop, on Gaetz Ave., and by prompt attention to business and first-class workmanship, hope to earn a share of public patronage.

Hair-cutting 25 cents. Boys' Hair Cut 15 cents. Shaving 15 " Neck Shave 5 "

SOUTH END BARBER SHOP.

A. DuPERRIER, Prop.
GAETZ AVE., SOUTH.

Reason Home 25c. Shampooing 25c. Beard Trimmed 15 cents.

Satisfaction guaranteed.

Harness and Saddles.

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Contractor for Wells, Cellars, Fences, and all kinds of Excavating.

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Team for Sale.

Team of geldings, 5 years old, thoroughly well broken, weight about 2000 lbs. Apply to STEWART BROS., Penhold, Alta.

April 21st, 1m.

Nursery Stock For Sale.

Red, Black and White Currant Bushes, and Cuttings. Flowering Currant, Lilac, Boxwood, Flowering Shrubs and Plants. Home made roses, Hibiscus roots and seed. Cabbage and cauliflower plants. Price moderate. JOSEPH COLE, Red Deer, April 7th Victoria Ave.

To Rent.

Large eleven roomed house on Gaetz Avenue North. Electric light, conveniences. Small stable and shed in rear. \$15 per month to right man. Apply to GREENE & PAYNE, Red Deer, April 13, 85, L.L. Law Office.

THE ROBERTSON TRADING STALLION

"ZOMVERT" 2 29 1/2

Was sired by the now renowned "Zambars", 2 1/2, the greatest show horse and sire of extreme speed that ever lived. Besides many other great ones he sired "Haller" 2 1/2, world's record for given name, "San Francisco" 2 1/2, world's record for three year old gelding. Zambars' claim to greatness rests not alone with his sire, as his 1st and 2nd dams were both great trotters and his 3rd dam was "Tremor", one of the twelve greatest mares that ever lived. Come to my barn and carefully study his splendid pedigree, and you will be convinced he is a Prince, and son of a King. The Zambars have sold for thousands where other good horses have brought only hundreds. Farmers, as well as others, look to you for a Zambars while you can. For the present season he will stand for service at my livery and feed barn on Alexander Street, Red Deer, Alta., at prices within the reach of all.

J. W. TILDEN.

REMOVAL !!!

JOHN REID, Shoemaker, begs to thank the public of Red Deer for their patronage during the past two years, and wishes to intimate that he has removed his business to Code's Road Store, Ross Avenue, where he will carry on the REPAIR TRADE as formerly.

Notice.

If you want your garden worked up in good shape, ready for planting, it pays to get a man that understands the job to do it for you. The time is here now to have this work done, and as I have had a lot of experience in gardening and have the tools to do it with, and I am looking for this kind of work, I will guarantee a good job at a reasonable price. Send in your order to JOHN WOOD, Box 563, Red Deer.

I will have cabbage and cauliflower plants for sale in season, also rhubarb roots.

SMITH BROS.

Gaetz Valley, Alta.

Dealers in Horses and Cattle.

Just arrived from Ontario two standard bred stallions, one pure bred Clyde stallion, and one pure bred Clyde mare.

We have also about 70 head of a good mixed bunch of horses for sale.

For further information apply to

SMITH BROS.

Gaetz Valley P.O.

Correspondence.

TO THE FARMERS OF THE RED DEER DISTRICT:

It is not our intention to dictate to you the necessity of taking advantage of every hour of sunshine in order to have your crop in at the earliest possible date, but we do wish to draw your attention to our advertisement on drills in another column.

From experience gleaned from agricultural reports, and from conversations with those who are in a position to know, such as Extension Farm instructors and those making a study of crop conditions, we are convinced that by using a Drill, many advantages are obtained, and with this end in view we have induced our Companies to allow us to place Drills upon very easy terms in order that every farmer may have his own Drill, and thus be in a position to rush his crop in with the least possible delay.

We have still in stock seven Drills of an off size. These are prepared to sell at reduced prices, and on terms specified in our ad. It will pay you to call and talk the matter over with us.

Yours truly,

LATIMER & BOTTERILL.

NOTICE.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS, HEIRS, LEGATEES, DEVISEES, NEXT OF KIN, AND OTHER CLAIMANTS IN THE ESTATE OF THE late David Parker of near Penhold in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to an order of His Honour the Court, each creditor, heir, legatee, devisee, next of kin and other person having any claim against the estate of the said deceased, is required to send by mail or deliver to Messrs. Greene & Payne, Red Deer, Alberta, Solicitors for the said deceased, and Lewis James Carswell, the executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased, within four weeks after the last publication of this notice, a statement in writing verified by a Statutory Declaration, of his claim against the said estate and of the security if any, held by him.

AND after the expiration of his claim against the said estate and of the security if any, held by him. The executor shall be at liberty to distribute the assets of the deceased or any part thereof among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor has then notice and they shall not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Red Deer, Alberta this 15th day of April, A. D. 1900.

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THE EXECUTOR SHALL BE AT LIBERTY TO DISTRIBUTE THE ASSETS OF THE DECEASED OR ANY PART THEREOF AMONG THE PARTIES ENTITLED THERETO, HAVING REGARD ONLY TO THE CLAIMS OF WHICH THE SAID EXECUTOR HAS THEN NOTICE AND THEY SHALL NOT BE LIABLE FOR THE SAID ASSETS OR ANY PART THEREOF SO DISTRIBUTED TO ANY PERSON OR PERSONS OF WHOSE CLAIM THEY SHALL NOT HAVE HAD NOTICE AT THE TIME OF SUCH DISTRIBUTION.

Dated at Red Deer, Alberta this 15th day of April, A. D. 1900.

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Red Deer, Alberta,

Solicitors for the executors of the last will and testament of David Parker, deceased.

COUNCIL MEETING.

(continued from page 2.)

Report as amended was adopted. On motion of Councillor H. H. Gaetz and F. H. Tallman the application of A. G. Ayres for the position of Clerk in the Town office was accepted at \$90 per annum. The Auditor's report was adopted. The following accounts were presented and ordered to be paid: Dr. George, \$10; Wage sheet No 1, \$14; John Kennedy, \$8.50; A. W. G. Allen, \$90.00; G. P. Byrnie, \$12.10; H. McCrees, \$11.50; Crumston Novelty Co., \$8; A. P. Botaford, \$55.50; West. Gen. Electric Co., \$108.75; West. Gen. Electric Co., \$50; Red Deer Laundry, \$1.15; News Pub. Co., \$90; Geo. Rothnie, \$1.

THE ESTIMATE.

ESTIMATE RED DEER, 1900. (Preliminary.)

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS.
Building permits - 50.00
Rentals - 20.00
Dog Tax - 50.00
Licenses - 120.00
Market scales - 40.00
Police Court Fines - 60.00
Post Office - 10.00
Rents - 150.00
Water frontage tax, 5c. per ft. - 125.00
Total - \$320.00

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES.
Deficit from 1900 - 1100.50
Public School demand - 1132.00
Debtors Coupons - 125.00
A. S. Statutory School demand - 300.00
Stationery and Printing - 50.00
Market - 20.00
Fire and Light - 50.00
W. V. Maintenance - 140.00
Police - 120.00
P. Works Maintenance - 95.00
Property and Parks - 115.00
Sewerage - 100.00
Sewer Maintenance - 100.00
Board of Health - 22.00
Legislation - 10.00
Miscellaneous - 125.00
Total - \$12,420.31

The proposed grants were:
Firemen - 25.00
Board of Trade - 300.00
Exhibition Ass'n - 500.00
Hospital - \$1225.00

PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Debitors - 429.00
Salaries - 685.00
Secretary - 150.00
Fuel - 90.00
Light - 20.00
Supplies and Apparatus - 750.00
Water and Sewage - 47.50
Interest - 20.00
Library - 75.00
Ground and Building - 300.00
Other expenditures - 47.50
Total - \$14,500.00

LESS RECEIPTS.

Estimated Gov't Grant - 2335.00
Other sources - 365.00
Total - \$2,700.00

SEPARATE SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Due to Christie, Brandon - 85.00
Salary of Teacher - 600.00
Sundries - 10.00
Total - \$695.00

LESS RECEIPTS.

Gov't Grant - 102.00
Grant for attendance - 27.00
Licenses and Police - 20.00
Donations - 100.00
Total - \$259.00

Amount required from town \$390.80.

Debitors - 11,332.20
Salaries - 4,800.00
Less portion charged to construction - 1,200.00
Stationery and Printing - 50.00
Interest - 100.00
Total - \$14,500.00

FIRE AND LIGHT.

Street lighting - \$1075.00
Firehall lighting - 200.00
Telephone - 35.00
Chemicals - 50.00
Fireman's pay sheet - 250.00
Fuel - 100.00
Clothing - 50.00
Fire Chief's salary - 780.00
Insurance on Firemen - 100.00
Incidentals - 200.00
Pumping (hydrants) - 100.00
Total - \$3,200.00

WATERWORKS MAINTENANCE.

60" water receipts - 1100.00
Repair hydrant - 20.00
Incidentals - 100.00
Total - \$1,400.00

LICENSE AND POLICE.

Chief's Salary - 900.00
Telephone - 25.00
Rent - 20.00
Fuel - 25.00
Clothing - 75.00
Night constable - 250.00
Light Police Station - 8.00
Incidentals - 50.00
Total - \$1,503.00

PUBLIC WORKS MAINTENANCE.

Township's salary - 720.00
Maintenance of town - 30.00
Repairs to sidewalks, etc. - 100.00
Total - \$1,120.00

PROPERTY AND PARKS.

Two months salary, gardener - 120.00
Sundries - 25.00
Total - \$145.00

CEMETERY.

Gardener, 3 months - 780.00
Incidentals - 25.00
Total - \$805.00

BOARD OF HEALTH.

M. H. Officer's salary - \$120.00
Districts - 50.00
Incidentals - 30.00
Total - \$200.00

SEWER MAINTENANCE.

Two months salary, man and team on construction - 170.00
Total - \$170.00

Market, incidentals.

Legislation - \$50.00

GRANTS.

Firemen - \$25.00
Board of Trade - 300.00
Exhibition Ass'n - 500.00
Hospital - \$1225.00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Office rent - \$300.00
Stamps - 50.00
Telephone - 35.00
Lights - 45.00
Bonds - 20.00
Insurance - 250.00
Travelling expenses - 100.00
Telephones, telegrams, etc. - 25.00
Faxes related - 100.00
Sundries - 50.00
Allowance for discount - 1000.00
Taxes - \$2,985.00

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At the annual meeting of the Industrial School staff, a strong resolution of confidence in Mr. Barner was passed by the staff. The management of the school has won the deepest respect and sympathy of the staff, and this was expressed in the resolution.

The medals donated by the leading citizens for those leading in the Departmental examinations of 1900, have been received by Calgary on Friday, April 13th, and closing Edmonton Saturday night, April 14th, have been secured to perform one night only here, on their way back to Calgary. These artists, brought from Chicago and New York at a great expense for the Empire Theatre Circuit, and the opportunity to see and hear them is a rare one, outside of the big cities. They have been playing to packed houses at Calgary and Edmonton, and the papers declared the combination the best ever, in artistic finish, novel presentation, refined comedy and delightful singing. "Kippy," the Koneedy Kartoonist, is the youngest of the newspaper artists who have made the country "sit up and take notice." A laughing "hit in chalk, his German "spell" is refined, as it is funny, and his lightning portraiture is a wonder.

Angela May, the contralto cantatrice, is a comic opera and musical comedy feature, and has a voice of great power and heart reaching sympathy, and her gowns will be a delight for the ladies. Her imitations of "Ama Held," the French Chanteuse, are a genuine treat.

J. Louis MacEvoy, the "Talkologist," is a high comedy comedian and is a well known writer of popular songs and monologues. With him "It is to laugh and grow fat."

The sensational ring experts, Zeeh and Zeeh, are from the "Winter Garden" Berlin. Their art is so finished that the marvelous work they do seems a nothing, so gracefully and easily is it accomplished. And so on down the list, for the entire bill is an artistic combination of vaudeville, opera and burlesque.

Such an opportunity does not often happen, and no doubt the theatre will not have even "standing room" on Friday, April 30th, when the company appears here.

Servant Wanted.

To go to Edmonton. No washing. Family of three. Apply to News Office or to Miss Logan, Memorial Hospital.

\$5.00 Reward.

Strayed from the premises of the undersigned, Exarts, on April 14th, two ponies, one grey; and one sorrel, half-faced. The grey had leather halter on when last seen. Apply R. E. LAURENCE, Red Deer.

Second Hand Gang Plows for Sale.

1 Verity 12 inch gang plow; 1 Verity 14 inch gang plow; 1 Cockshutt sulky plow, 16 inch all in good shape and ready to go to work. Also have some second hand breakers of all kinds for sale at bottom prices. Apply to STEWART BROS., Penhold, Alta.

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